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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : Yueheng Li, et al  
U.S. Serial No. : 10/580,722  
Filed : May 24, 2006  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SUPPORTING DOWNLINK  
JOINT DETECTION IN TDD CDMA SYSTEMS  
Group No. : 2617  
Examiner : Babar Sarwar  
Confirmation No. : 6472

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This communication responds to the Final Office Action dated October 28, 2011, which has a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on January 28, 2012. As this Response is being filed within two months of the date of the Final Office Action, the Applicant requests an Advisory Action or Notice of Allowance.